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Sir:

As authorized by the inventor(s), transmitted herewith for filing is a non-English patent application applied for on behalf of the inventor(s) according to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.41(c). An English translation will follow within the required time as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.52(d).

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Enclosed are:

$\sqrt{\boxtimes}$	A specification consisting of sixty-eigth (68) pages
\boxtimes	Twenty-nine (29) sheet(s) of formal drawings
	Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27
	Applicant does not claim priority
\boxtimes	Applicant claims the right of priority based on the Applications shown I the attached information sheet.

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	Amend the specification by inserting before the first linthereof the following:				
	aThis nonprovisional application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a) on Patent Application No. filed in on , which is herein incorporated by reference				
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\boxtimes	Executed Declaration in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.64 will follow				
	Application Data Sheet in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.76				
	Preliminary Amendment				
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∕ ⊠	Other: Sequence Listing (735 pages), Information Sheet.				
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 A check in the amount of \$1,572.00 to cover the filing fee, and surcharge (if applicable) is enclosed.
 - Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$0.00. A triplicate copy of this transmittal form is enclosed.
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The above information is submitted to advise the U.S.P.T.O. of all relevant facts in connection with the present application.

A timely executed Declaration in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.64 will follow.

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